

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:

Amend the specification as follows:

Page 1, after the Title, insert the following new paragraph:

The present application claims benefit of U.S. Provisional Application Serial No. 60/268,916, filed February 16, 2001, and Japanese applications P.2000-308526, filed October 6, 2000 and PCT/JP01/08804, filed October 5, 2001.

Page 4, delete the paragraph spanning lines 15-24, after the structure of formula (I) (i.e., the last paragraph on page 4), and insert the following therefor:

In the Fc region of an antibody of an IgG type, two N-glycoside-linked sugar chain binding sites are present. In serum IgG, to the sugar chain binding site, generally, binds a complex type sugar chain having plural branches and in which addition of sialic acid or bisecting *N*-acetylglucosamine is low. It is known that there is variety in the manner and form in which ~~regarding the~~ addition of galactose is made to the non-reducing end of the complex type sugar chain and the addition of fucose to the *N*-acetylglucosamine in the reducing end [Leppanen, A, et al., *Biochemistry* (1997) 36, 7026-7036, "in vitro Biosynthesis of a Decasacharide Prototype of Multiply Branched Polylactoaminoglycan Backbones" *Biochemistry*, 36, 130 (1997).]